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TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : LINCOLN

ACTION: WH (PBS) (1-3)\*

INFO : DCI (4), D/DCI (5), DD/P (L) (6), WH (7), SA/PC/DCI (8)

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ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE

TO: (PRIORITY) [ ] (HEGARTY), INFO: DIR  
[ ] (WELLBANK), [ ]

CITE: SLINC

RYBAT PBSUCCESS

1. SPEECH CESAR MONTENEGRO PANIAGUA, REPORTED PRESS, RADIO, THREATENING BEHEADING ALL ANTI COMMIES WHEN FIRST SHOT FIRED, TO BE EXPLOITED AS UNMASKING COMMIE PLAN ESTABLISHING FULL DICTATORSHIP WSBURNT BY MEANS HUGE BLOOD BATH, MADE POSSIBLE BY RECENT SOVIET ARMS SHIPMENT. ARCHBISHOP ARELLANO LIKELY TO BE FIRST VICTIM.

2. MONTENEGRO SPEECH, PLUS RECENT ARRESTS, ARMING OF WORKERS AND PEASANTS, PHONY TREATY OFFER WSHOOF, PROPOSED MEETING ARBENZ-EISENHOWER, ALL PROVE EXTREME NERVOUSNESS, VACILLATIONS ARBENZ REGIME, CONFRONTED WITH IRRESISTIBLY MOUNTING OPPOSITION MOVEMENT.

3. CALL FOR DRASTIC PUNISHMENT MONTENEGRO, DISARMAMENT COMMIES, RESIGNATION ARBENZ-BUT AVOID IMPLICATION AS IF WSBURNT COMMIES WERE STRONG ENOUGH TO SLAUGHTER OPPOSITION AT WILL.

4. GIVE ABOVE BIGGEST POSSIBLE PLAY IN PRESS, RADIO, INTER-VIEWS, RESOLUTIONS AND OPEN LETTERS FRIENDLY ORGANIZATIONS, PROTESTS TO LOCAL WSBURNT EMBASSY, WIRE TO ARBENZ, ANY OTHER FEASIBLE PUBLICITY CHANNELS.

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5. ABOVE FOR CONSUMPTION OUTSIDE GUAT ONLY. SHERWOOD OUR EXCLUSIVE CHANNEL FOR STATEMENTS RE ABOVE INSIDE GUAT.

6. CABLE REPORTS YOUR ACTIONS TAKEN, PLUS WHATEVER LOCAL INITIATIVE SAME DIRECTION POSSIBLE.

END OF MESSAGE

\*CABLE SECRETARIAT COMMENT:

MR. [ ] WH, NOTIFIED OF RECEIPT OF THIS MESSAGE AT 1925  
7 JUNE 54.

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